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APPLICATION FOR COUNTY/CITY PUBLIC DEFENSE FUNDING (HB1542) QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Question **Where can I find the standards for public defense services endorsed by the Washington State Bar Association?**

Answer The standards can be found at:
<http://www.defensenet.org/resources/wdastand.htm>

Question **Does the County/City need to be in compliance with all WSBA standards to receive funding under the application process?**

Answer No, OPD hopes that Counties/Cities will use these funds to make appreciable demonstrable improvements in the delivery of public defense services and move toward the attainment of the WSBA standards.

Question **Where can I find a copy of the Grant County Settlement Agreement?**

Answer The Settlement agreement in *Best v. Grant County* is on this website at:
<http://www.nlada.org/DMS/Documents/1131727759.89/SettlementAgreementGrantCountyWA.pdf>

Question **What are the BARS code categories for Indigent Defense expenditures?**

Answer Detailed BARS code information can be found at
http://www.sao.wa.gov/LocalGovernment/BARS/2006BARS/CAT1_2006.pdf
at pages 162-163

Question **Where can I find a copy of the *Justice in Jeopardy* report?**

Answer The Justice in Jeopardy report can be found at:
http://www.courts.wa.gov/programs_orgs/pos_bja/wgFinal/wgFinal.pdf

Question **What is the BARS revenue code to be used for the state funding for public defense, which will be distributed to cities?**

Answer The distribution to cities should be coded to the BARS code 334.01.2X.

Question **What is the BARS revenue code to be used for the state funding for public defense, which was distributed to counties?**

Answer The distribution to counties should be coded 336.0128.

Question **Where can I find the legislation authorizing this application process?**

Answer HB 1542 can be found at:
<http://www.leg.wa.gov/pub/billinfo/2005-06/Pdf/Bills/Session%20Law%202005/1542-S2.SL.pdf>
or codified in RCW 10.101
<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=10.101>

Question **How much money did my county receive as a result of the OPD funding process in 2006?**

Answer

County	Total Distribution
Adams	\$12,723.00
Asotin	\$13,717.00
Benton	\$77,882.00
Chelan	\$37,425.00
Clallam	\$31,478.00
Clark	\$146,339.00
Columbia	\$5,838.00
Cowlitz	\$67,342.00
Douglas	\$0.00
Ferry	\$7,198.00
Franklin	\$27,441.00
Garfield	\$4,741.00
Grant	\$41,124.00
Grays Harbor	\$34,945.00
Island	\$25,616.00
Jefferson	\$13,146.00
King	\$618,603.00
Kitsap	\$102,729.00
Kittitas	\$20,336.00
Klickitat	\$13,264.00

County	Total Distribution
Lewis	\$43,729.00
Lincoln	\$6,989.00
Mason	\$27,716.00
Okanogan	\$21,026.00
Pacific	\$14,508.00
Pend Oreille	\$8,394.00
Pierce	\$306,757.00
San Juan	\$8,328.00
Skagit	\$50,645.00
Skamania	\$8,837.00
Snohomish	\$211,584.00
Spokane	\$194,985.00
Stevens	\$19,556.00
Thurston	\$108,703.00
Wahkiakum	\$5,646.00
Walla Walla	\$30,878.00
Whatcom	\$84,421.00
Whitman	\$18,034.00
Yakima	\$119,911.00